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#### THEM STYLES.

There was an old woman who traveled  
to town  
To purchase herself a nice up-to-date  
gown;  
She bought one that stopped one inch  
south of her knees,  
And each time she wore it she thought  
she would freeze.  
—Luke McLuke.

A special course in Bible study and  
training for service will be started in  
the Christian church tonight. All  
teachers and members of ladies' and  
men's Bible classes are urged to be  
present.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Third  
Street M. E. church will meet with  
Mrs. J. H. Richardson this afternoon  
at 2 o'clock.

Rev. A. F. Felts is in Vanceburg this  
week helping Rev. E. B. Hill in re-  
vival services.

Ladies' Aid Society of First Baptist  
meets today at 2:30 in the Sunday  
school room.

Mrs. Gordon Gilmore left today to  
visit relatives at Lexington.

#### ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

An enthusiastic meeting of the  
Credit Rating Bureau of the Chamber  
of Commerce was held Tuesday night.  
It starts out with thirty-nine members  
and if any one has failed to join and  
wishes to become a member, they  
should see the secretary-manager at  
once. Active work will begin at once.

#### FAIRBANKS MEN

In Control of Ninth District Republi-  
can Convention At Mt.  
Sterling.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., March 1.—The  
Ninth district Republicans held their  
meeting here yesterday at the court-  
house. The convention was called to  
order by District Chairman Howard  
McCartney of Flemingsburg, who was  
chosen temporary chairman, and A. S.  
Johnson of Breathitt county, tempo-  
rary secretary. Committees were ap-  
pointed and the convention adjourned.  
The meeting was harmonious and the  
Fairbanks men were in control. R.  
H. Winn of this city, and W. D. Coch-  
ran of Maysville, were elected as dele-  
gates, with Howard Gudgeon of Bath  
county, and J. C. Hurts of Breathitt  
county, as alternates to the Chicago  
convention. Timothy Fields of Ash-  
land was elected member of the Cen-  
tral Committee, and Crooks McClure  
of Lawrence county, as district elector.

#### FIRST DISTRICT

Parent-Teacher Association Holds  
Regular Monthly Meeting  
Tuesday.

On Tuesday afternoon the First Dis-  
trict Parent-Teacher Association held  
its regular monthly meeting. The  
president, Mrs. Will Smith, called the  
meeting to order.

Miss Estella M. Nash and her quar-  
tet of four little girls, Alice Kuhn,  
Violet Finch, Edith Lital and Mary  
Nichols, furnished some excellent  
music. It was an enjoyable feature.

The president introduced Rev. H. B.  
Wilhoite of the First Baptist church,  
who spoke upon "The Conservation of  
Youth." The talk was full of interest  
and it should have had a larger hear-  
ing. He said that the idea that man  
was a triangular being is wrong, that  
man is a four-square, quoting from St.  
Luke 2:52: "He grew in stature, phys-  
ically; wisdom, mentally; in favor  
toward God, spiritual; and man, so-  
cial. Christ taught that the four-  
square was the ideal, physical, men-  
tal, spiritual and social.

He insisted upon a healthy phys-  
ical body, for a good mind. The  
soul is the spiritual relation to God.  
God always has the spiritual first and  
then the social. So rear and train  
the child that the four sides shall be  
properly and fully developed.

The hope of the future is the con-  
servation of the youth today. This  
is an age of delegation. We no longer  
chop wood, we have delegated it to  
the coal company; the handling of  
coal makes our hands black. We have  
delegated that to the gas com-  
panies. The father, while the dele-  
gating is going on, compliments the  
mother by delegating the rearing of  
the child, the buying of the clothing  
and the education and spiritual train-  
ing to the mother, and the mother in  
turn delegates part of the burden to  
the teacher.

He spoke of environment, obedience,  
work, truancy, sanitation and play in  
their relation to his subject. Does it  
pay? Is it better to farm than to  
reform? The mother has the biggest  
task ever committed to the race, to  
conserve the child given to her to rear.  
The association is doing a fine work.

#### DEATH OF STEPHEN WINSLOW PARKER AT LEWISBURG.

Mr. Stephen Winslow Parker died at  
his home at Lewisburg, Tuesday at 3  
o'clock. Born February 20, 1825, he  
was in his ninety-first year. Death  
was due to the infirmities of age.

Mr. Parker passed his life on the  
farm and was interested in the world  
movements up to the time of his death.  
He is survived by one brother, Mr.  
William Parker, aged 96. The funeral  
services will be held Thursday morn-  
ing at 10:30 in the Lewisburg Bapt-  
ist church with services by Rev. C. S.  
Ellis. Interment in the Lewisburg  
Baptist cemetery.

#### WALTZ-HARRISON.

Mr. David H. Harrison surprised his  
friends Tuesday afternoon when he an-  
nounced he was going to Forestville,  
O., to claim his bride. Mr. Harrison  
and Miss Ida Waltz of that city, were  
married in Lexington Wednesday at  
high noon. They will leave after the  
ceremony for a bridal trip of a week  
or ten days after which they will re-  
turn to this city and make their home.  
Mr. Harrison is the junior member  
of the firm of R. M. Harrison & Son,  
dealers in grain. The bride is a charm-  
ing young lady and is well known  
in this city. The Ledger congratulates  
the happy young couple.

#### GOOD ROADS COMMITTEE.

The Good Roads Committee of the  
Chamber of Commerce held a very in-  
teresting meeting at the Council  
Chamber Tuesday night. A commit-  
tee consisting of A. Clooney, E. T.  
Kirk, W. W. McIlvain, Thomas Ewan  
and Holton Key was appointed to look  
over the situation and the feasibility  
of a bond issue. They are also in-  
structed to meet with the Fiscal Court.  
There seems to be a feeling that a  
commission of five men to be selected  
from different parts of the county to  
act in conjunction with the Fiscal  
Court would facilitate good roads.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSE FIGURES

During the month of February the  
County Clerk issued twenty-seven  
marriage licenses. Three of the hus-  
bands were 18 and one 16, while the  
wives, seven were under 18 years of  
age.

#### CONNERS-ADKINS.

Mr. James Adkins and Miss Anna  
Connors of the Moransburg neighbor-  
hood, were married at St. Patrick's  
church at 7 o'clock.

#### MAIL ORDERS PROMPTLY FILLED.

For all grades of whiskies and  
liquors. Our prices are right. Order  
today. Poynts Bros., Covington, Ky.

#### SMALL BLAZE.

Tuesday morning about 10 o'clock  
Superintendent Lud Mills discovered a  
blaze coming from the home of Robert  
McClellan, 541 West Second street.  
A bucket brigade of mill hands was  
formed and soon extinguished the  
fire. Slight damage.

#### FOR SALE.

General sale of household goods, in-  
cluding piano, sewing machine, bed,  
dresser, wardrobe, etc. Call and get  
prices over Wood's Meat Market on  
Market street.

MRS. K. V. MOOREFIELD.

#### SOCIETY BUDS

Admonished By Miss Lois Janvier To  
Look For Something  
Real To Do.

New Orleans, March 1.—Miss Lois  
Janvier, whose father is Charles Jan-  
vier, this town's new postmaster and  
a banker of renown all over the south,  
is social secretary for a fashionable  
department store.

Admirers spent \$10,000 on her for  
clothes and entertainment when she  
was queen of the carnival in 1912.  
This \$10,000 queen addressed a meet-  
ing of Y. W. C. A. girls the other day  
and said:

"After a girl has had her year in  
society she should look about for  
something real to do. If a debutante  
dies she is not missed, because she  
was of no use to anybody, but if one  
of the girls in the store were to die  
there'd be ten or more persons asking  
for her in one day."

Miss Janvier's admonition to debu-  
tantes evidently has been taken seri-  
ously, for already half a dozen "buds"  
are turning to things other than teas,  
tango parties and automobiles.

Miss Bettie Wilkinson, daughter of  
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Wilkinson, niece  
of a former United States Senator, is  
taking cooking lessons three days a  
week in high school.

Miss Elizabeth Lyman, queen of the  
Mittens' ball of 1916, declares she  
agrees with Miss Janvier.

The Miss Janvier referred to in the  
above article is a sister to Mr. John  
Janvier, former editor of The Ledger.  
The Janvier family has been promi-  
nent in social circles in the south for  
many years.

#### MASON COUNTY WOMAN'S CLUB MEETS THURSDAY.

The regular meeting of the Mason  
County Woman's Club will be held on  
Thursday at 2:30 o'clock at the Coun-  
cil Chamber. Mrs. Peddicord will  
address the club on "Social Service."  
Mrs. Peddicord comes with a large ex-  
perience of a trained worker in social  
service and is a charming speaker.  
Members of the Mission Board, Settle-  
ment Club and Health League are es-  
pecially invited.

The Woman's Club, seconded and as-  
sisted by the Chamber of Commerce,  
has invited the State Federation of  
Women's Clubs to hold its annual  
meeting in Maysville on May 17, 18  
and 19, and the Federation has ac-  
cepted the invitation.

Through the courtesy of the Cham-  
ber of Commerce Mr. George W.  
Knight of Chattanooga, Tenn., of the  
firm of Knight & Quayle, will address  
the meeting on "Garbage Disposal."

Beginning on Saturday, March 4, the  
Mason County Woman's Club will ob-  
serve Baby Week and on Saturday  
afternoon at 2 o'clock there will be a  
parade, followed by a Better Babies  
Health Contest at the City Mission.  
Five dollars in gold is the first prize,  
\$2.50 in gold the second prize. Let all  
Babies under one year of age be pres-  
ent.

#### NEVER FRIES DARK

In preparing bacon for you breakfast, it should be noticed that  
"PARTRIDGE" Bacon, even though done to a turn, will retain its rich,  
golden color. This is one of the distinctions of "PARTRIDGE" Bacon,  
in that its very appearance on your breakfast table, crisp, tender, gold-  
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appetite. So perfect is the cure of the "PARTRIDGE" Bacon, that  
it can never fry dark. Order a pound today.

Dinger Bros., 107 W. Second St.  
Phone 20.

Hon. Thomas Slattery of Covington, Mrs. J. A. Murray and son Charles  
was shaking hands with his friends of Manchester, O., were among Mays-  
ville shoppers Tuesday.

#### HELLO!

Yes, this is 91. WILLIAMS DRUG COMPANY. Limestone Phos-  
phate? Yes we have it. Hepatic Salts? Yes. What else, please?  
Thank you. Your order will be delivered in five minutes. We can  
highly recommend the articles you have ordered. They have been  
thoroughly tried by several of our customers. Nothing better for  
stomach, liver and bowels. Call again.

All the latest patterns in wallpaper Mrs. Charles Poe of Germantown,  
at CRANE & SHAFER'S. was a Maysville shopper Tuesday.

#### THE HOME OF QUALITY CLOTHES

If there ever was a time for serious contemplation about clothes needs—that  
moment has arrived. If, next winter, you are asked to pay advances on clothes that  
will strike you as steep, don't blame any retailer. Woolens have soared to unprece-  
dented heights; you know something about the wool situation yourself, by the way  
it is selling here; dyestuffs are alarmingly scarce; trimmings have gone 'way up;  
even labor is better paid than ever before.

You Can't Dodge These Things---  
They Are Facts!

But here is something you can do, and that is to get an extra suit NOW—  
while we are selling Society Brand, Stein-Bloch, R. B. Fashion, Hirsh-Wickwire,  
and Michaels, Stern & Co. clothes and other clothes at greatly reduced prices.

D. HECHINGER & CO.

#### ONLY UNTIL SATURDAY

can linens be secured at present prices. Monday will see prices the rising linen market demands, placed on every item in our  
stock. The linen situation grows more tense every month the European war continues. With linens it is no longer a ques-  
tion of getting what you want but taking what you can get. We not only don't know when we can replenish our stock at  
present prices but we don't know when some items can be procured at any price.  
We are playing fair and giving due warning. After this week prices advance.

#### New Suits \$15 to \$29

Just out of the boxes!

Ready for the first day of spring.

A smart navy taffeta and serge combination. A rose jersey cloth that speaks youth and style and novelty in every line.  
The black and white Shepherd Checks that are perennial favorites. Navy serge, navy poplin, black in several weaves, all the  
other colors and fabrics fashion approves.

#### White Coats

If you are one of the many young girls who have been asking about light weight unlined Chinchilla Coats you will be in-  
terested in knowing some smart models have just arrived from New York and are only \$7½. White Monotone plaid vicuna,  
very new and good looking at \$12½, are also amongst the latest arrivals.

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HUNT'S

1916

A. F. Sult and Edward and Carl Sid-  
well were the Mayslick farmers de-  
livering tobacco here Tuesday.

Our new Spring wallpapers are  
ready for your inspection. Come in.  
CRANE & SHAFER.

Morris Lewis of Chatham, and Mike  
Reiser of Brooksville, were business  
visitors in Maysville Tuesday.

J. A. Denton of Hillsboro, and Wil-  
liam Tierney of Mayslick, were on the  
local tobacco breaks Tuesday.

#### A Proud Record.

We have sold every Winter Suit that we had in stock.  
Not a single garment have we to show. We doubt if there  
is another store in Kentucky that can make such an an-  
nouncement.

We are showing now New Silk Waists, New Spring Suits, New Spring Coats, New  
Spring Skirts, New Spring Hats, New Spring Dresses. Every Express brings some new  
goods for Merz Bros., and they are not marked at war prices either.

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and  
SUCCEEDS

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Rim-Cuts—by the No-Rim-Cut feature.  
Slow-outs—by the "On-Air" cure.  
Loose Treads—by many rubber rivets.  
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for the home that you certainly should  
come and see how readily you can have  
a handsome home with the finest cabi-  
net work at a very moderate expense.  
Come even if you haven't any present  
intention to improve your abode.

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of the first pretty days. We are ready  
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Oliver and Sycrause, Points, Handles,  
Shares, Mouldboards, etc. Just phone us  
your wants.

If you need a good Rake, Hoe, Mat-  
tock, Ax, Fork, or, in fact, any tool needed  
on the farm, just tell it to us. We have  
good ones in stock, at the right prices.

Just received, a shipment of the neat-  
est Wheelbarrows you ever saw. Need  
one?

Yours, for good Plowing Weather,  
soon.

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"THE SQUARE DEAL MAN"

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## JUSTICE TO THE NATIONAL GUARD.

Congress is definitely committed to the policy of preparedness against war, preparedness for a continuation of American peace and prosperity. That much is settled beyond a doubt.

The continental army scheme is dead. Peace to its ashes!

With regard to the land forces, there remains now but to increase the size of the regular army to reasonable proportions and to augment and develop the National Guard of the several states. They will constitute the "citizenry trained to arms" for which the President is contending.

Justice at last will be done to the National Guard, and in its new development it will constitute an army upon which the nation may safely depend in time of distress. It has never failed yet to respond to the call of our country, and it never will.

From a reliable and trustworthy source, from one actively concerned in the framing and shaping of this legislation, the editor of this paper learns that the new plan will call for increasing the National Guard to approximately 500,000 men, apportioned among the states according to population.

These troops will be armed and equipped in precisely the same manner as the regular army, will be subject to the same regulations and discipline, and will be educated in their duties under the tutelage of experienced officers of the army.

A pay bill on a graduated scale will be passed by Congress which will give private soldiers approximately \$48 each year for attending drills, with pay for officers in proportion to their grade.

In times of peace the guard will remain under the control of the Governors of the several states, but in time of war or in the event of a national need the President will have authority to order out the troops of any state for service without the formality of calling for volunteers.

The development of the National Guard is probably the most practical an effective, and yet the least expensive, method that could be devised for supplying an army of adequate size and efficiency for defensive purposes, and the federalizing of the state troops will practically eliminate any hostility that may have been entertained toward them in certain quarters heretofore.

The National Guard of this state is made up of young men of a high order of intelligence, whose patriotism has been tried and found true and if the time ever comes when the nation needs their services the President may rest assured that the patriotism of Kentucky will be second to none.

There is but one flag and that flag is our flag!

## THE VALUE OF PREPAREDNESS.

Preparedness is in the air and everybody is talking about it—preparedness against war.

But there is another brand of preparedness that is of vital import to the American people, and that is preparedness for prosperity.

There is probably no class of people in this country who should be more alive to the possibilities of commercial preparedness than the farmer. Upon him will devolve the vast amount of supplies demanded by the world when this war ends. His will be the burden of feeding the millions of mouths that will be hungering for the products of the farm. And his will be the pockets that will sag with the weight of the gold that pays for these supplies.

If there is an acre of tillable ground in this section that has not been contracted for it should be promptly put under cultivation. It should be made to yield its quota of the wealth that will be waiting for some one to pick up.

Congress at last is aroused and will take care of preparedness against war, but the American farmer is the man who must prepare for the prosperity of peace.

Preparedness is in the air, brother. Go to it—and get it!

The motorists are not expecting to run less speedy cars to off-set the high price of gasoline, as of course their wives will be glad to get along without new dresses.

If Justice Hughes don't shave those whiskers, people will be calling him the Carranza of the United States.

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# Stingaree

By E. W. Hornumb.

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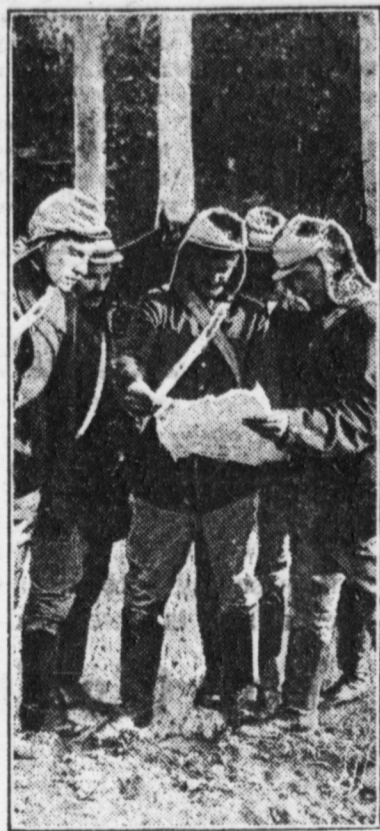
NOTE—The film showing of this story has been discontinued at the Washington Theater, but the story will be continued in The Ledger for the benefit of the readers who started same.

## THE TAKING OF STINGAREE.

STINGAREE had crossed the Murray, and all Victoria was agog with the news. It was not his first descent upon that colony nor likely to be his last, unless Subinspector Kilbride and his mounted myrmidons did much better than they had done before. There is no stimulus, however, like a trembling reputation. Within four-and-twenty hours Kilbride himself was on the track of the invader, whose heels he had never seen, much less his face. And he rode alone.

Once, glancing through the woods, he saw several horsemen who had dismounted and were reading the latest exploits of the noted outlaw. He made a detour and escaped notice.

It was not merely his reputation that was at stake, though nothing could restore that more effectually than the



He Saw Horsemen, Dismounted, Reading the Latest Exploits of the Noted Outlaw.

single handed capture of so notorious a desperado as Stingaree. The dashing officer was not unnaturally actuated by the sum of £300 now set upon the outlaw's person, alive or dead. That would be a little windfall for one man, but not much to divide among five or six. On the other hand, and with all his faults, Subinspector Kilbride had courage enough to furnish forth a squadron. He was a black bearded, high cheeked Irish-Australian, keen and overbearing to a disease, restless, irascible, but full of the fire and dash that make as dangerous an enemy as another good fighter need desire. And as a fine fighter in an infamous cause Stingaree had his admirers even in Victoria, where the old tale of popular sympathy with a picturesque rascal was responsible for not the least of the subinspector's difficulties. But even this struck Kilbride as yet another of those obstacles which were more easily surmounted alone than at the head of a talkative squad, and with that conviction he pushed his thoroughbred on and on through a whole cool night and three parts of an Australian summer's day. Imagine, then, his disgust at the apparition of a mounted trooper galloping to meet him in the middle of the afternoon and within a few miles of a former hiding place of the bush-ranger, where the senior officer had strong hopes of finding and surprising him now.

"Where the devil do you come from?" cried Kilbride as the other rode up. "Jumping Creek," was the crisp reply. "Stationed there."

"Then why don't you stop there and do your duty?"

"Stingaree," said the laconic trooper. "What! Do you think you're after him too?"

"I am after him."

"So am I."

"Then you're going in the wrong direction."

Kilbride flushed a warm brown from beard to helmet. "Do you know who you're speaking to?" cried he. "I'm Subinspector Kilbride, and this business is my business and no other man's in this colony. You go back to your barracks, sir! I'm not going to have every fool in the force charging about the country on his own account."

The trooper was a dark, smart, dapper young fellow of a type not easily browbeaten or subdued. And discipline is not the strong point of forces so irregular as the mounted police of a crescent colony. But nothing could have been more admirable than the manner in which this rebuke was received.

"Very well, sir, if you wish it. But I can assure you that you are off the track of Stingaree."

"How do you know?" asked Kilbride rudely, but he was beginning to look less black.

"I happen to know the place. You would have some difficulty in finding it if you never were there before. I only stumbled across it by accident myself."

"Lately?"

"One day last winter when I was out looking for some horses."

"And you kept it to yourself?"

The trooper hung his head. "I knew we should have him across the river again," he said. "It was only a question of time—and, well, sir, you can understand."

"You were keen on taking him your-

"As keen as you are, Mr. Kilbride," owned the younger man, raising bold eyes and looking his superior fairly and squarely in the face.

Kilbride returned the stare, and what he saw unsettled him. The other was wiry, trim, eminently alert; he had the masterful mouth and the dare-devil eye, and his horse seemed a part of himself. A more promising comrade at hot work was not to be desired, and the work would be hot if Stingaree had half a chance. After all, it was better for two to succeed than for one to fail. "Half the money and a whole skin!" said Kilbride to himself and rapped out his decision with an oath.

The trooper's eyes lit with reckless mirth, and a soft cheer came from under his breath.

"By the bye, what's your name," said Kilbride, "before we start?"

"Bowen—Jack Bowen."

"Then I know all about you. Why on earth didn't you tell me before?"

It was you who took that black fellow who murdered the shepherd on Woolshed creek, wasn't it?"

The admission was made with due modesty.

"Why, you're the very man for me!" Kilbride cried. "You show the way, Jack, and I'll make the going."

And off they went together at a canter, the slanting sun striking fire from their buttons and accouterments and lighting their sunburned faces as it lit the red stems and the white that raced past them on either side. For a little they followed the path which Kilbride had taken on his way thither; then the trooper plunged into the thick bush on the left, and the game became follow my leader, in and out, and in, through a maze of red eucalypts and of white, where the pungent eucalyptus scent hung as heavy as the sage green, perpendicular leaves themselves, and so onward until the subinspector called a halt.

"How far is it now, Bowen?"

"Two or three miles, sir."

"Good! It'll be light for another hour and a half. We'd better give the makes a breather while we can. And there'd be no harm in two draws."

"I was just thinking the same thing, sir."

So their reins dangled while they cut up a pileup of apparent show leather apiece, and presently the dull blue smoke was curling and eddying against the dull green foliage, producing subtle half tint harmonies and momentary arabesques as the horses ambled neck and neck.

"Native of this colony?" puffed Kilbride.

"Well, no—old country originally, but I've been out some years."

"That's all right so long as you're not a New South Welshman," said Kilbride, with a chuckle. "I'll be shot if I wouldn't almost have turned you back if you had been!"

"Victoria is to have all the credit, is she, sir?"

"Anyhow, they shan't have any on the other side, or I'll know the reason!" the Victorian swore. "I—by Jove, I'd as lief lose my man again as let them have a hand in taking him!"

"But why?"

"Why? Do you live so near the border and can you ask? Did you never hear about a Sydney side drover blowing about his blooming colony? Haven't you heard of Sydney harbor till you're sick? And then their papers!" cried Kilbride, with columns in his tone.

"But I'll have the last laugh yet! I swore I would, and I will! I swore I'd take Stingaree!"

"So I heard."

"Yes, they put it in their infernal papers! But it was true—take him I will!"

"Or die in the attempt, eh?"

"Yes."

All the bitterness of previous failure—indeed, of notorious and much criticised defeat—was in the subinspector's tone. That of his subordinate, though light as air, had a touch of insolence which an outsider could not have failed to detect, but Kilbride was too excited to do so. The outsider might possibly have foreseen a rivalry which no longer entered Kilbride's hot head.

Meanwhile the country was changing even with their now leisurely advance. The timbered flats in the region of the river had merged into a gully, which was rapidly developing into a gorge, with new luxuriant growths which added greatly to the density of the forest, suggesting its heart. The almost neutral eucalyptian that was splashed with the gay hues of many parrots, as though the gum trees had burst into flower. The noise of running water stole gradually through the murmur of leaves. And suddenly an object in the grass struck the sight like a lantern flashed at dead of night. It proved to be an empty sardine tin pricked by a stray lance from the slanting sun.

"We must be near," whispered Kilbride.

"We are there! You hear the creek? He has a gunyah there; that's all. Shall we rush in on horseback or creep up on foot?"

"You know the lie of the land, Bowen. Which do you recommend?"

"Rushing it."

"Then here goes."

In a few seconds they had leaped their horses into a tlay clearing on the banks of a creek as relatively minute. And the gunyah—a mere funnel of boughs and leaves, in which a man could lie at full length, but only sit upright at the funnel's mouth—seemed as empty as the space on every hand. The only other sign of Stingaree was a hank of rope flung carelessly across the gunyah roof.

"He may be watching us from among the trees," muttered Kilbride, looking sharply about him. Bowen screwed up his eyes and followed suit.

"I hardly think it, Mr. Kilbride."

"But it's possible, and here we sit for him to pot us! Let's dismount, whether or no."

They slid to the ground. The trooper found himself at the mouth of the gunyah.

"What if he were in there after all?" said he.

"He isn't," said Kilbride, stepping in front and stooping quickly. "But you might creep in, Jack, and see if he's left any sign of life behind him."

The men were standing between the horses, their revolvers cocked. Bowen

his answer was to hand his weapon over to Kilbride and to creep into the gunyah on his hands and knees.

"Here's something or other," his voice cried thickly from within. "It's half buried. Wait a bit."

"As sharp as you can!"

"All right. But it's a box and jolly heavy."

Kilbride peered nervously to right, left and center; then his eyes fell upon his companion wriggling back into the open, a shallow, oblong box in his arms, its polish dimmed and dusted with the mold, as though they had violated a grave.

"Kick it open!" exclaimed Kilbride excitedly.

But there was no need for that. The box was not even locked, and the lifted lid revealed an inner one of glass, protecting a brass cylinder with steel bristles in uneven growth and a long line of lilliputian hammers.

"A musical box!" said the staggered subinspector.

"That's it, sir. I remember hearing that he'd collared one in one of the stations he stuck up last time he was down here. It must have lain in the ground ever since. And it only shows how hard you must have pressed him, Mr. Kilbride."

"Yes. I headed him back across the Murray—I soon had him out o' this!" rejoined the other in grim bravado.

"Anything else in the gunyah?"

"All he took that trip, I fancy, if we dig a bit. You never gave him time to roll his swag!"

"I must have a look," said Kilbride, his excitement fed by his reviving vanity.

The other questioned whether it were worth while. This settled the subinspector.

"There may be something to show where he's gone," that casuist suggested, "for I don't believe he's anywhere here."

"Shall I hold the shooters, sir?"

"Thanks. And keep your eyes open, just in case. But it's my opinion that the bird's down somewhere else, and it's for us to find out where."

(To be continued)

30,000 SOLDIERS MAIMED IN WAR

PLEAD FOR WORK.

New York.—Thirty thousand maimed French soldiers are pleading for work, for the opportunity to be educated to make themselves useful in the labor world of their country, it is announced by Mrs. Edmund Lincoln Baylies, chairman for the United States of a movement which has just been inaugurated for the organization of the American Committee for Training in Suitable Trades the Maimed Soldiers of France. For these 30,000 crippled men, according to Mrs. Baylies, an equal number of positions are being held open by the employers of France, who need these workers. Only the training for these soldiers is lacking to enable them to learn some useful pursuit so that they can serve in shop and factory.

The American Committee, which has established headquarters at the Plaza Hotel in this city, regards its task in the light of "charity to do away with the need of charity." It requires from three to six months for one of these war dependents to pass through this period of instruction—the length of time necessary for his tuition depends on the man and his trade—and the cost of his education is only four to five francs a day. One hundred dollars would meet the average of all cases, the committee estimates.

The committee in France knew of one soldier who, having lost an arm while fighting on the Marne, drifted from shop to shop in search of a chance to support himself, and, turned away because he knew no trade which he could follow with his one arm, shot himself.

The maimed ones who are being taught trades under the direction of the committee in France divide their profits in full when they have reached the stage of production with those pupils who are only beginning to learn.

SPRAYING PAID IN MISSOURI

On One Orchard Net Profit Was Found to Be \$161.12 Per Acre—Insects Are High Livers.

Insects are high lives. On an acre of apple trees they may destroy a hundred dollars' worth of fruit. The average value of the fruit of an acre of un sprayed apple trees in the state of Missouri has been found to be \$18.05. Four careful sprayings made this value jump to an average of \$187.19 an acre. On one orchard in 1913 the net profit due to spraying was found to be \$161.12 an acre. The average cost per tree for the first spraying was 6.6 cents, 13 cents for the second, 9.5 cents for the third, and 8 cents for the fourth—a total of 37.1 cents a tree, or an average of \$22.26 an acre.—American Farming.

Way to Pack Fruit.

Fruit of every kind should be packed in boxes or baskets, stamped with the name of the grower, and if he will select a name for his product as a sort of trademark in addition to his own name, he will have, in time, a valuable asset, provided he lives up to it in every way.

With the closing sale last week the Maysville loose leaf market had sold 15,636,025 pounds of tobacco this season at an average of \$11.25 per hundred.

One hundred and five veterans, members of the Dayton (O.) Soldiers' Home, have died since January 1 of this year.

Why is the navy still complaining about the lack of shells, when there is so much peanut politics at Washington?

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A. F. Paul, G. W. Ruark and Grover Hull of the county, A. W. Lukens and W. R. Warren of Ewing, A. H. Prather, Wood Reese, W. J. Chandler, R. T. Watson and Oscar Wilson of Sharon, and W. H. Moore of Augusta, were the farmers on the local tobacco breaks Monday.

Mrs. W. N. Kabler, who is wintering at St. Petersburg, Fla., writes: "I would like to be back---just long enough to see all my friends." Both Mr. and Mrs. Kabler are well and enjoying the delightful weather of the "Sunshine City."

C. M. Mathews has been chosen Lexington's new city weigher.

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(The End.)

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Saturday, March 4, at the old Saltee farm, one mile from Fernleaf, on the Clark Run and Washington pike.  
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## MUSICAL MICE

Rare Discovery of a Prominent Bourbon County Farmer At His Home.

(Lexington Leader.)  
The following story comes from J. Elmer Boardman of the Little Rock neighborhood in Bourbon county. It may sound weird and incredulous as though it came from the pen of Washington Irving; but the veracity of Mr. Boardman can not be questioned, he being a prominent farmer and stock trader of that section, also an influential member in the Christian church. According to his statement certain members of his family had been started upon hearing peculiar musical notes sounded in different parts of their house which, of course, aroused much curiosity and apprehension. After making many investigations his wife informed him that the sweet weird songs were chanted by mice, however, Mr. Board could not make himself believe that she had solved the mystery, but a few nights later he went into the kitchen and upon entering the door was greeted with the same mysterious music. After searching around for awhile he decided he had located it under the coal bucket; he proceeded to remove the bucket and to his astonishment there was a number of mice singing, really singing for Mr. Boardman declares it to be just that way.

Certainly a very peculiar freak of nature.  
Mr. "Bob" Cole, who for several years past has been the head chef at the Manhattan Restaurant, has gone to Nebraska to make his future home. "Big Bob" as he was familiarly called, will be missed by his many friends on account of his geniality and personality.

At a public sale Monday in Flemingsburg, five shares of the Pierce-Fault Deposit Bank sold for \$266 per share.

## MRS. MAY'S LETTER TO WOMEN

More Proof that Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Relieves Suffering.

Chicago, Ill.—"I suffered from a bad case of female ills. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended and I took about six bottles. It fixed me up all right. The common symptoms of such a condition—pain when walking, irritation, bearing down pains and backache, nervousness and disordered digestion—soon passed away. I look much better now than I did before, and I recommend the Compound every time for female troubles, as it did for me all it is claimed to do. You have my permission to publish this letter." Mrs. J. MAY, 3548 S. Lincoln St., Chicago, Ill.

If you have any of the symptoms mentioned in Mrs. May's letter, remember what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for her, and try it yourself. It is a good old-fashioned medicine, made from roots and herbs, and it has helped countless numbers of women.  
If you need special advice, write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. (confidential), Lynn, Mass. Your letter will be opened, read and answered by a woman, and held in strict confidence.



## Our Correspondents

### MUSES MILLS.

Mrs. Ed Hinton is low with tuberculosis.

Mrs. Kiah McDaniel, aged 78, is low with the grip.

John Dunaway and family have moved to Bath county.

Tom Gorman and family have moved to Lewis county to reside.

Reece Hinton and family have moved here from Plummer's Landing.

Robert McKee, aged 30, died here last week from tuberculosis. He leaves a wife and four small children.

Alonzo James of Grayton, Carter county, was here last week looking for a good location for farming.

Charles H. Compton will close his school on Big Run next week after a seven-month successful term.

A. D. McRoberts has again secured the contract to carry the rural mail on this route, leading from Ryan to Plummer's Landing.

Mrs. Mary J. Colville, aged 88, is very low with the grip at the home of Steve Thompson, who resides on Big Run near here.

John Mack, a farmer of this place, was tried before Squire Muse here last Saturday on a charge of breach of peace and was acquitted.

Ed Hinton and family have moved to where Tom Gorman lived, Tom Kirk is moving to East Fork, and Lee Hinton is moving to where Mr. Kirk lived.

Mrs. Maggie Campbell closed her school at Sugartree last Thursday.

Mrs. Mollie Carter at Plummer's Landing last Friday, and Prof. Kay Reynolds his school at Anderson Branch last Saturday. All were seven months terms.

Robert Sorrell, who resided one mile below this place, had a public sale last Saturday and sold out all his property and will leave at once with his family for Sabetha, Kas., to reside. He will engage in farming.

John Thompson and son Everett, and Jack Moore, all farmers of the Big Run neighborhood, got into a big fracas last Thursday in which rocks, axes and guns were used, but evidently no one was bodily hurt.

Warrants were promptly issued and all the parties were arrested, to be tried here on March 4 on a charge of breach of the peace. "Men should never let such angry passions rise," is surely a true proverb.

### BERNARD.

Mrs. Mary Fulton of Cincinnati, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Emily Soward of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. William Newell are the proud parents of a son which arrived at their home February 27.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Stevens have been entertaining a little son at their home since February 15, John Thomas.

Mrs. Wilson Case of Stonelick, left the last week for an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Abe Hauko of Norwood, O.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tom Toile of Stonelick, are rejoicing over a little son which arrived at their home February 16, Ernest Gault.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burnett and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Burnett of Tucker

ahoe, spent the week-end with her sister, Mrs. John Bousch of this place.

Mr. G. E. Seddon of Stonelick, spent Saturday with his mother, Mrs. Cuba Seddon, who is seriously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Still of Covington.

Mrs. R. G. Breeze returned to her home in Paris, Ky., the past week after a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. J. R. Stevens, and other relatives in the county.

Mrs. R. A. Bare, who was operated on for appendicitis at Maysville Hospital about two weeks ago, has been removed to her home at Clark Station.

Mr. J. B. Furlong and family of Taylor's Mill, are moving to Maysville, where they will reside in the future. They will have a large sale at their farm Wednesday, March 1.

### SARDIS.

Mrs. Noble Buckner is quite ill.

Mrs. B. G. Gribby is quite ill at this writing.

It rained here Wednesday and Thursday.

Palmer Belfry sold his home to R. O. Chambers.

Mr. Collins and family will move to Mt. Olivet soon.

S. J. Mastin is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Mastin.

Mrs. Nan Dye died Saturday morning at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Alonzo Collins sold his home to W. H. Wells and Rolla Chambers.

Mrs. Iva Orme has returned to her home from a visit down to Milford.

Mr. Gut, the clothing salesman, was at A. H. Dillon, White & Company a few days last week.

Mrs. Hattie L. Campbell has returned home from Louisville where she has been for several months.

Prof. Howard Orme could not teach for a few days on account of the illness of his little daughter Elizabeth.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovell Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Griffith have moved to their new home in Mr. Abner Anderson's house.

**PARK LAKE AND WALLINGFORD.**  
Mrs. Nelson Hinton is no better.

Mrs. Belle Whisman is seriously ill.

S. T. Garthner has been on the sick list.

Archie Lucas of Paris, is visiting friends here.

Lafe Hurst came home from Bath county recently.

Edward Jones of Maysville visited W. K. Hamm recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mattox are recovered from an attack of grip.

James Hinton of Paris, is visiting his parents, Nelson Hinton and family.

George Reeves of Carter county, better known as "Buntz," is here on a visit.

Mrs. Articia McCartney of Paris, is visiting her brothers and sisters here this week.

Miss Eunice Hughes will leave next Tuesday for Newcastle, Ind., after a long visit to her Kentucky friends.

May a happy time be hers.

R. A. Hickerson visited his brother at Moorefield this week and reports much damage along Licking river to fodder, owing to high water.

heart down his throat when Motor-man Edward Forman arrived with his car.

The young man began telling of his wild experience with the wildcat and up to the time of going to press with this edition he is still on the telling job.

He says that cat kept right alongside of him all the way down and he has laid in a supply of gasoline and hereafter will take the river route to Springdale.

### FOR OVERWORKED WOMEN.

This is the season of the year when the wife and mother begins to feel the strain of household and social duties, and gets into a run-down, nervous, weakened condition. To all such our local druggist, Pecor Drug Company, says: "We have a rare combination of the three oldest tonics known, in Vinol, which we guarantee to restore strength, make you eat better, sleep better and feel better, or we will return your money."

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Mr. James Stone of East Second street, is confined to his room with a case of grip.

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Fire, which was burning during the morning services but not discovered until after the congregation had gone, Sunday destroyed the Broadway Christian church at Lexington. The value of the building was estimated at between \$50,000 and \$70,000, with \$20,000 insurance.

Uncertainty in the coal mining industry existing because of the threatened disagreement over the present wage scale is nearing a satisfactory conclusion at the conference of miners and operators in New York. The result will have a big bearing on the Kentucky field.

New discoveries of petroleum have been made in Argentina.

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### NOTICE!

The Weber Cleaning Company will on March 1 be located at 29 East Second Street. Phone 624.

## SHOW DOWN

Called For By President Wilson On the Pending Proposals To Keep Americans Off Merchant Ships

Washington, March 1.—President Wilson decided yesterday that he can not proceed with the German submarine negotiations while dissension in Congress weakens his position before the world so he called for a show down on the pending proposals to warn Americans off merchant ships of the European belligerents armed for defensive purposes. President Wilson wrote a letter to Representative Poon, chairman of the House Rules Committee, asking him to provide parliamentary means for bringing the agitation out into the open on the floor of the House for full discussion and a vote. Later, he summoned Senator Stone and Representative Flood, chairmen of the Foreign Affairs Committees, and Senator Kern, majority leader in the Senate, for a conference at the White House this morning at which he will request that one of the various pending resolutions be acted upon in both Houses.

Administration leaders, working steadily for the last week strengthening their lines and counting on the support of the Republicans now are so sure of their position that they plan to end all agitation with a vote of confidence in the President.

### MYSTERIOUS SHOT IN DARKNESS SPELLS DEATH TO RAILROAD AT RUSSELL.

In the midst of a desperate struggle in the dining room at the home of Samuel Simpson, at Russell, on Monday midnight, Miss Esther Simpson, 22 years old, leaped to a table and fired the contents of an automatic pistol into the body of Clifford D. Grooms, her brother-in-law, and a well known railroad man.

Grooms, from whom a large revolver had been taken, staggered from his father-in-law's home, but as he crossed the sidewalk in front, another bullet fired from the Simpson home went through his back and he fell mortally wounded. The railroad died at Keller's Hospital in fronton shortly after noon Tuesday. Miss Esther Simpson is under \$500 bond, charged with his murder, and it is stated by the Russell authorities that the arrest of Samuel Simpson, Jr., her brother, who is said to have fired the last shot at Simpson, is a probability.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Gaither of Commerce street, left Wednesday morning for Lexington where they will be present at the marriage of Mrs. Gaither's brother, Mr. David Hechinger Harrison, to Miss Ida Holz of Cincinnati. The ceremony will be performed at the home of the officiating minister.

If Christian county jurors shirk their duty, Judge J. T. Hansberry told grand jurors he would take the jurors to other counties and secure convictions.

The C. & O. railroad is the second heaviest taxpayer in the state of West Virginia, paying \$429,693.43. This does not include damage suit settlements.

Newton Jones, the 70-year-old counterfeiter who was arrested near Portsmouth four weeks ago, died in Cincinnati at the jail hospital.

Leslie Keene, Isaac Kurtz and Charles and James Kelly of Germantown, were on the local tobacco breaks Tuesday.

C. Calvert Early, John Marshall, Thelma Owens and T. M. Castigan of the county, were transacting business here Tuesday.

Walter Shepherd of Mt. Olivet, L. T. Graham of Flemingsburg, Henry Berker of Ripley, were in this city Tuesday on business.

The evangelistic services at the Aberdeen Baptist church will close tonight. A large crowd from Maysville will attend.

## TOBACCO MARKET

Sales On Maysville Loose Leaf Floors As Reported By the Various Warehousemen.

**Amazon.**  
Pounds sold ..... 47,540  
High price ..... \$35.00  
Low price ..... \$4.00  
Average ..... \$11.98

**Growers.**  
Pounds sold ..... 80,795  
High price ..... \$61.00  
Low price ..... \$3.10  
Average ..... \$13.57

**Independent.**  
Pounds sold ..... 6,410  
High price ..... \$26.00  
Low price ..... \$3.30  
Average ..... \$15.86  
Special—E. Doyle, Sardis, \$17.65;  
J. Pence, Ohio, \$20.01.

**Liberty.**  
Pounds sold ..... 82,235  
High price ..... \$50.00  
Low price ..... \$3.30  
Average ..... \$12.72  
Special—Suit & Huff, \$21.91; Turner & Jefferson, 3,845 pounds, \$16.40; A. F. Schatzmann, \$16.77; Carter, \$15.76.

**Central.**  
Pounds sold ..... 13,890  
High price ..... \$25.00  
Low price ..... \$3.00  
Average ..... \$13.40  
Special—D. A. Willett, Mason county, \$12.54; Worthington & Willett, Mason county, \$13.90; G. A. Shadle, Mason county, \$13.05.

**Farmers.**  
Pounds sold ..... 34,770  
High price ..... \$35.00  
Low price ..... \$3.00  
Average ..... \$12.11  
Special—Gallenstein & Weissman, Mason county, \$16.67; Kirk & Gault, Mason county, \$16.80; Prather & Howard, Mason county, \$15.90.

**Home.**  
Pounds sold ..... 44,215  
High price ..... \$46.00  
Low price ..... \$2.50  
Average ..... \$13.25  
Special—W. J. Higgins, Mason county, \$14.87; L. Washburn, Mason county, \$13.68; Dan Galliger, Mason county, \$16.31; John Marshall, Mason county, \$18.92.

## MRS. JAMES S. HELM

Dead At Lexington—Originated the Hanson Magazine Agency—Accumulated Vast Fortune In Business.

Lexington, Ky., March 1.—Mrs. James Stone Helm, one of Lexington's wealthiest women, died here yesterday. She went under the business name of J. M. Hanson and is said to have made more than \$1,000,000 in obtaining magazine subscriptions. On one occasion she was offered \$100,000 for the list of names of people who had subscribed to magazines through her. Mrs. Helm began her magazine work twenty years ago while employed as a country school teacher. She was 50 years old.

Current report says there are three candidates for the office of city assessor, Frank Devine, William Daugherty and John Shaw. There are others to hear from.

Ninety-three saloon licenses were issued at Lexington, a falling off from last year, when 107 were issued.

### OUR COLORED CITIZENS

Misses Fannie May Jackson, Flora Hall and Florence Gordon will give an entertainment at the Bethel Baptist church Saturday night to help with the proceeds for a new piano. Let every one come out and help.

Special notice to all members of Maysville Star Lodge No. 1948 and all members of Ruth House No. 374, you are most earnestly requested to meet with the committee on Grand Lodge Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. Business of vast importance for your consideration will be introduced and it is the most earnest appeal of your committee on Grand Lodge that you be present.

### MAYSVILLE PRODUCE MARKET

Following are this morning's quotations on country produce, telephoned at 9 o'clock by the E. L. Manchester Produce Company:

Butter ..... 16c  
Eggs (loss off) ..... 17c  
Hens ..... 12c  
Springers ..... 10c  
Roosters ..... 6c

### CINCINNATI MARKETS

**Grain.**  
Wheat—\$1.21@1.22.  
Corn—70½@71½c.  
Oats—50@53c.  
Hay—\$16.50@20.  
**Live Stock.**  
Cattle—\$7.35@7.75.  
Calves—\$4.50@11.50.  
Hogs—\$5.25@6.75.  
Sheep—\$6.50@7.75.  
Lambs—\$6.75@11.50.

## REPRESENTATIVE

H. P. PURNELL

Gives His Reasons For Voting For Substitute To the Greene House Bill 158—Stands For Closing Saloons on Sunday.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 28, 1916.

Editor Public Ledger, Maysville, Ky.  
Dear Sir—In order that the people of Maysville and Mason county might be informed concerning the action of the Legislature with regard to the passage of the Greene bills and the closing of saloons on Sunday, I feel it my duty to give them as far as I can, the facts in the case and why I believe those laws should have been passed.

At the beginning of the session Mr. Greene offered Bills No. 5 and 6 for the purpose of closing the saloons on Sunday, not only in Newport and Covington, but in the whole state. After these bills were passed in the House, Mr. Greene, feeling they would not meet the demands of the people where saloons were being operated, offered House Bill No. 158, making it a forfeiture of licenses where a saloon is operated on Sunday. After this bill was offered, the administration seeking to close these saloons, felt that the bills introduced by Mr. Greene would not close these places, so the Attorney General advised with the Governor with regard to the drawing of a bill which would without a doubt, close all the saloons in the state on Sunday. This bill as offered by the administration, was to be substituted for the Greene Bill 158, as the only means by which the people in the places where saloons were being operated could get relief. On the question of substituting, quite a contention arose, as Mr. Greene took the position that his bill would bring the necessary relief and that the substitute would not, but when a vote was taken by the House the substitute carried, as all the members were assured that if the substitute was passed the Governor and the Attorney General would without a doubt close these places on Sunday.

In my opinion this was a question where the rights of the people were at stake, and those rights should be protected. If the state was without a law that would protect the "God fearing people" of this commonwealth, then it was due time that the Legislature was passing one that would allow the people to go to church on Sunday without being insulted, as was shown some were in Covington and Newport. The open saloon on Sunday is not only, in my opinion, a menace to society, but a disgrace to the state of Kentucky, and for that reason as Representative from Mason county I voted for the Bills 5 and 6 as a means to eliminate from the affairs of this state the lawlessness that has been carried on in some of the cities where saloons were being operated on Sunday. As to the Bill No. 158 and the substitute that was offered, it was a question in my mind which was the stronger of the two, as I believed the one meeting the demands of the people in abolishing this Sunday evil should be passed, so I called on the Attorney General in person, and discussed the substitute fully, when he informed me

that under Bill 158 the saloons could not be closed, but that the substitute would close them beyond a doubt. He also went so far as to say that he and the Governor would answer to the people if the saloons were not closed, and that he would guarantee me and also the House that if they would pass the substitute that we would have no more open saloons on Sunday in the state of Kentucky; so believing that the Governor and Attorney General would fulfill their promises and protect the good people of our state, I supported this substitute, feeling that it was only right to rid this state of this Sunday opening, which in my opinion is an outrage and a slap in the face of justice and order, and something which the God fearing people are entitled to.

Hoping that I have made myself clear to the people of Mason county, and that this Sunday evil will be abolished, I am, respectfully yours,  
H. P. PURNELL.

## BABY WEEK

March 4 To March 11 To Be Observed By Local Women With Interesting Program.

Baby Week promises to start off with a great flourish.

March 4—All babies entered for the contest and mothers to be at the City Mission at 2 o'clock, where they will be taken in automobiles in the parade. This includes children up to 8 year old.

Health Contest—All babies under 2 years of age, in this contest must be at the City Mission at 2 o'clock.

Home surroundings ..... 60%  
March 5—Babies' Sabbath—Mayor's letter read in the churches and addresses by the pastors on "Better Babies."

March 6—Mayor's letter read at all the schools and distribution of literature.

March 7—Milk supply.

March 8—Baby clinic at 210 Court street, from 9 a. m. to 12 noon. Mass meeting in the Council Chamber, gifts for babies and mothers. Talks on the care of babies. Flags are requested to be put on the home of every baby registered in Maysville.

Let not only the parents but every citizen in the city and county boost Baby Week. The foundation of our land and nation is the baby. The better care of babies has resulted in the useless waste of baby life. More children are reaching maturity in our day than ever before. Let us help to place the best environment and influence around America's greatest and best product, the baby.

### ATTENTION ELKS

Regular meeting of the B. P. O. Elks this evening at 7 o'clock. A full attendance desired.

C. E. GEISEL, E. R. W. R. Smith, Secretary.

### J. O. U. A. M. MEETING.

Regular weekly meeting of Limestone chapter No. 256 J. O. U. A. M. tonight at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

WALTER RUDY, Counselor.

## Washington's Birthday Specials

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### Help Wanted.

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### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Typewriter, practically good as new, \$18, cost \$100; sent for trial express paid. J. O. Stedel, 229 West Fourth street, Cincinnati, O. m1-3t

FOR SALE—Gem Leader Oak stove heater. Apply 626 Walnut street, city. f29-1w

FOR SALE—A 260-egg incubator almost new, a bargain. Apply at Maysville Tea & Coffee Company. f29-2t

### For Rent.

FOR RENT—Store room and fixtures. Apply 341 East Fourth street. m1-3t

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms on first floor at 220 East Fifth street. m1-3t

FOR RENT—A piano. Apply to this office. f29-3t

### Lost.

LOST—Female Scotch collie dog; black body, white collar, head mixed white and tan. Return to 220 East Fifth street. m-3teod

LOST—Watch fob, charm with letters J. S. D. Finder please return to James S. Dawson, 908 East Second street. f29-3t

LOST—Child's gold bracelet, either at the Washington Theater or between Market street and East Fourth street. Finder leave at this office and receive reward. f28-3t

### Found.

FOUND—Ladies' Waterman Ideal self-filling fountain pen. Call this office. m-tf

## Spring Goods Are Here

See the lovely Wash Goods, Ginghams, Percales, Voiles, etc. Embroideries and Laces in endless variety. Silks, Messalines, Fancy Taffetas, Georgettes, Chiffons, Nets, Gold and Silver Allogors, Laces. Braids and Cords, latest styles. Laces from 2½c to \$1.75 yard. Ribbons from 1c to \$2 yard. Gloves of many kinds. Wonderful display of Neckwear. Buy now and you will not regret it. March Fashions and Designers are here.

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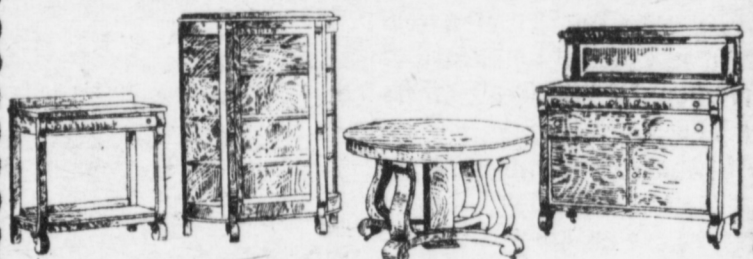
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